



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: EASY

ABBREVIATIONS

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| Approx = Approximately | Hdc = Half double crochet | Sc = Single crochet |
| Beg = Begin(ning) | Pat = Pattern | Sl st = Slip stitch |
| Ch = Chain(s) | Rep = Repeat | Sp(s) = Space(s) |
| Cont = Continue(ity) | Rnd(s) = Round(s) | St(s) = Stitch(es) |
| Dc = Double crochet | RS = Right side | WS = Wrong side |

MEASUREMENT

Approx 63½" [161 cm] square, excluding tassels.

GAUGES

12 sc and 13 rows = 4" [10 cm].
1.5 Shell Sts and 8.5 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Shell St Pat.

INSTRUCTIONS

Ch 185 (multiple of 8 ch + 9). See diagram on page 2.

1st row: (RS). 7 dc in 6th ch from hook (counts as 1 dc. Skip next 2 ch. 1 Shell St). *Skip next 2 ch. 1 sc in next ch. Ch 3. Skip next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Skip next 2 ch. 7 dc in next ch – Shell St made. Rep from * to last 3 ch. Skip next 2 ch. 1 dc in last ch. Turn. 23 Shell Sts.

2nd row: (WS). Ch 5 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 3). Skip first 3 dc of Shell St. 1 sc in 4th dc of Shell St. *Ch 3. Skip last 3 dc of Shell St and next sc. (1 dc. Ch 2. 1 dc) all in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3. Skip next sc and first 3 dc of Shell St. 1 sc in 4th dc of Shell St. Rep from * to last 3 dc of last Shell St. Ch 3. Skip last 3 dc of Shell St. 1 hdc in last dc (top of ch-3). Turn.

3rd row: Ch 3 (counts as 1 dc). 2 dc in first hdc. *1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Skip next dc. Shell St in next ch-2 sp. Rep from * to last ch-3 sp. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3. Skip next sc. 1 sc in last ch-5 sp. 3 dc in last hdc (2nd ch of ch-5). Turn.

MATERIALS

Caron® One Pound™ (16 oz/453.6 g; 812 yds/742 m)
Dark Pink (10621) **3 balls or 2421 yds/2214 m**
Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**
7" [18 cm] piece of cardboard for tassels. Yarn needle.

4th row: Ch 5 (counts as 1 hdc. Ch 3). Skip each of next 2 dc and 1 sc. (1 dc. Ch 2. 1 dc) all in next ch-3 sp. *Ch 3. Skip next sc and first 3 dc of Shell St. 1 sc in 4th dc of Shell st. Ch 3. Skip last 3 dc in Shell St and next sc. (1 dc. Ch 2. 1 dc) all in next ch-3 sp. Rep from * to last sc. Ch 3. Skip next sc and 2 dc. 1 hdc in last dc (top of ch-3). Turn.

5th row: Ch 3 (counts as 1 dc). Skip first ch-3 sp and next dc. Shell St in next ch-2 sp. *Skip next dc. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-3 sp. Skip next dc. Shell St in next ch-2 sp. Rep from * to last ch-3 sp. Skip next dc and 3 ch. 1 dc in last hdc (2nd ch of ch-5). Turn.

Rep 2nd to 5th rows for Shell St Pat until work from beg measures approx 61½" [156 cm], ending on a 2nd row (Blanket should be square). Turn. **Do not** fasten off.

Edging: 1st rnd: (RS). Ch 1. Work sc evenly around Blanket, working (1 sc. Ch 2. 1 sc) in each corner. Join with sl st to first sc.

2nd and 3rd rnds: Ch 1. Work 1 sc in each sc around, working (1 sc. Ch 2. 1 sc) in each corner ch-2 sp. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off at end of 3rd rnd.

FINISHING

Tassel (make 4): Wrap yarn around 7" [18 cm] piece of cardboard 70 times. Tie securely at one end. Cut across other end. Wrap yarn 3 times around tassel 2" [5 cm] from tied end and fasten securely. Sew Tassels to each ch-2 corner sp of Blanket.

